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For: POWER SUPPLY FOR LIGHT)
EMITTING DIODE ARRAY)

**RULE 115 AMENDMENT AND
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 7, 2000**

Honorable Commissioner of
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the application as follows:

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1, 2 and 4 without prejudice. Please amend claims 3, 7, 12 and 13

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as follows.
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3. (Amended) An apparatus for supplying regulated voltage d.c. electrical power to an LED array comprising:

a rectifier means (32) having an input and an output, said rectifier means (32) being responsive to a.c. power at said input for generating rectified d.c. power at said output;

a power factor correction converter means (38) having an input connected to said output of said rectifier means (32) and an output, said power factor correction converter means